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For: **POLYNUCLEOTIDES ENCODING ANTIGENIC HIV
TYPE C POLYPEPTIDES, POLYPEPTIDES AND USES THEREOF**

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

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Claims 9, 10, 24-40, 42, 43, 49-60, 63-66, and 68-75 are pending and stand rejected.

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